

Year 3- Spring 2 newsletter



China

Miss Orlando

Art/DT

This half term the children will be making games in their art lesson looking at cutting materials and evaluating their work to see how to improve their work.

Nepal

Miss Yousaf

English:

This half term students will begin to use a personification and direct speech in their narrative writing. They will be writing a piece with the title adventure at sea.

In reading they are looking at a poem called Isabel's adventure looking deeply at the features of a poem.

Maths:

During this term we will be looking at fractions. Looking at the differences in fractions and ordering them by size.

In mental maths we will be reviewing our knowledge of the 3 times table and learning the 4 times tables with the matching division facts. It is important that children practice the times tables on TT Rockstars as part of their daily homework.

Pe:

Children will be learning tag rugby where they will be focusing on passing a ball backwards, tagging another player when moving. There will also be a focus on can play and accept the rules, competing fairly

Topic:

We will continue our science topic- Forces. We will learn about What are magnets; sorting magnetic and non-magnetic materials; how surfaces effect motion (friction); identify forces on different objects (pushing and pulling). Describing different forces acting on an object; gravity; air resistance; water resistance; friction; forces in mechanisms (leavers; pulleys and gears)

Reminders

- ✓ All children should read for 20 minutes every night and should bring their reading book each day.
- ✓ All children should use TT Rockstars for 10 minutes per night to learn multiplication and division facts to 12.
- ✓ Homework is given out on a Wednesday and is handed in on the following Monday
- ✓ Creative homework pieces can be brought in at any time
- ✓ PE Kits are needed on Tuesdays and Fridays
- ✓ When it is your child's birthday, they are allowed to come in non-uniform
- ✓ We are a nut-free school, so please bear this in mind if your child brings packed lunches
- ✓ Each morning children must bring a bag to put letters and reading books in. Bags are available to buy from the office, or you can provide one of your own.
- ✓ Children must bring a rain jacket or coat